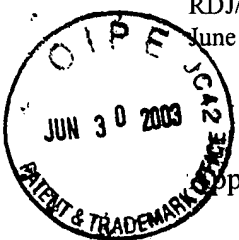


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Jeffrey Jacobsen, John C.C. Fan, Stephen A. Pombo, Matthew Zavracky, and Rodney Bumgardner

Application No.: 08/766,607 Group Art Unit: 2673  
Filed: December 13, 1996 Examiner: Jeffrey J. Piziali  
Confirmation No.: 7687  
For: Microdisplay for Portable Communication Systems

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[ ] A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDIT. FEE
X \$9	\$ 0
X \$42	\$ 0
+ \$140	\$ 0

TOTAL = \$ 0

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RATE	ADDIT. FEE
X \$18	\$ 0
X \$84	\$ 0
+ \$280	\$ 0

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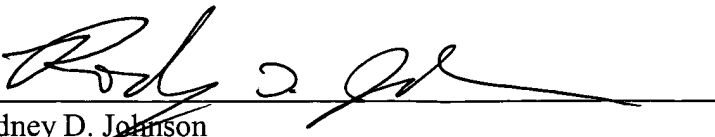
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## REQUEST

FOR

CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
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Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,  
provides for continued examination of a utility or plant application  
filed on or after June 8, 1995.

See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA)

Application Number	08/766,607
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First Named Inventor	Jeffrey Jacobsen
Group Art Unit	2673
Examiner Name	Jeffrey J. Piziali
Attorney Docket Number	0717.1112-001

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

**NOTE:** 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d) (PTO/SB/29) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. See Changes to Application Examination and Provisional Application Practice, Final Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 50092 (Aug. 16, 2000); Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865 (Mar. 20, 2000), 1233 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office 47 (Apr. 11, 2000), which established RCE practice.

## 1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

a. ☐ Previously submitted

i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on [ ].  
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).

ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on [ ].

iii. ☐ Other -- [ ].

b. ☒ Enclosed

i. ☒ Amendment/Reply

ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

iv. ☒ Petition for Extension of Time - four months with copy

v. ☒ Other -- Request for Change of Docket Number.

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## 2. Miscellaneous

a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of [ ] months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)

b. ☐ Other -- [ ].

## 3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 CFR §1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR §1.114 when the RCE is filed.

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i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)

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ii. ☒ Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17)

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iii. ☐ Amendment Fee

iv. ☐ Other -- [ ].

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